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House Resolution No. 2301

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in tremendous esteem those young Show-Me State residents who have bettered themselves and their communities through the challenges and opportunities available to them in the Boy Scouts of America program; and

Whereas, Jason Michael Steenstry of Troop 288 entered Scouting eleven years ago, since which time he continued on his illustrious sojourn by completing all of the requirements for the Tenderfoot, Second Class, First Class, Star, and Life ranks; and

Whereas, Jason has diligently served his Troop in such leadership posts as Patrol Leader, Assistant Patrol Leader, Bugler, Scribe, and Historian; and

Whereas, Jason is a Brotherhood member of Order of the Arrow who was inducted into the Tribe of Mic-O-Say where he is now a Warrior; attended Sea Base, the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness, and Bartle summer camps; and earned the Arrow of Light in Cub Scouts; and

Whereas, in addition to fulfilling the requirements for thirty-four Merit Badges, Jason followed through with the Scouting tradition of completing an Eagle Project by repairing the stucco and painting the outside of the Avondale United Methodist Church's thrift store which supplies clothes and furnishings for the surrounding community; and

Whereas, Jason will receive his well-deserved Eagle Medallion at a Court of Honor on Sunday, April 25, 2004, at Northminster Presbyterian Church in Kansas City; and

Whereas, Jason is the beloved son of James and Paula Steenstry who have truly encouraged and supported his diverse activities with the Boy Scouts of America program:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to salute Eagle Scout Jason Steenstry and to convey to him this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and best wishes upon joining the highly select group of Boy Scouts who attain Scouting's highest achievement award; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to new Eagle Scout Jason Michael Steenstry.

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2301, adopted April 28, 2004.